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Maxime Belanger, et al.

Application No. 10/679,758

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Examiner: Patricia Lynn Engle

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This Amendment responds to the Office action mailed July 6, 2005 and is filed within the three-month period for response. Charge or credit Account 13-3080 with any shortage or overpayment of any fees required for this communication.

A listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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